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(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 50325-0553

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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ( ) application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Alan B. Conley, et al., entitled AUTOMATICALLY GENERATING REPLICATION TOPOLOGY INFORMATION FOR USE BY A DIRECTORY SERVICE, for a(n):

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	application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.							
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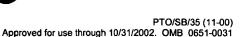
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First Named Inventor		Alan B. Conley, et al.
Title		ILLY GENERATING REPLICATION NFORMATION FOR USE BY A SERVICE
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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

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